

# One-Month Snapshot of 3SquaresVT Participants

(Data source: Program caseload extract for month of December, 2016)

## Terms used below:

Elder = 3SquaresVT recipient aged 60 or older

HH = household of one or more persons that is participating in 3SquaresVT

Elderly HH = participating HH that includes at least one elder

Disability HH = participating HH that includes at least one person with a disability

Working HH = participating HH with earned income, including self-employment

<b>Total recipients:</b>	<b>78,892</b>
<b>Recipients who were children aged 0-17:</b>	<b>26,439 (34% of all recipients)</b>
<b>Recipients who were people with a disability:</b>	<b>20,595 (26% of all recipients)</b>
<b>Recipients who were elders:</b>	<b>13,911 (18% of all recipients)</b>
<b>Total participating HHs:</b>	<b>42,926</b>
<b>HHs that included children aged 0-17:</b>	<b>13,732 (32% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Working HHs:</b>	<b>12,334 (29% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Disability HHs:</b>	<b>19,296 (45% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs:</b>	<b>12,702 (29% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs with elder living alone:</b>	<b>10,557 (83% of elderly HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs with medical expense deduction:</b>	<b>4,741 (37% of elderly HHs)</b>
<b>Disability HHs with medical expense deduction:</b>	<b>3,556 (18% of disability HHs)</b>
<b>Average monthly benefit per HH:</b>	<b>\$228</b>
<b>Average monthly benefit per working HH:</b>	<b>\$264</b>
<b>Average monthly benefit per disability HH:</b>	<b>\$200</b>
<b>Average benefit per HH that included children aged 0-17:</b>	<b>\$368</b>
<b>Average benefit per working HH that included children aged 0-17:</b>	<b>\$329</b>
<b>Average monthly benefit per elderly HH:</b>	<b>\$157</b>
<b>Average monthly benefit per elder living alone:</b>	<b>\$149</b>
<b>Total HHs receiving benefit of \$16 or less: *</b>	<b>3,063 (7% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Disability HHs receiving benefit of \$16 or less:</b>	<b>1,111 (6% of disability HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs receiving benefit of \$16 or less:</b>	<b>1,243 (10% of elderly HHs)</b>
<b>Total HHs receiving benefit of \$25 or more:</b>	<b>39,569 (93% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Disability HHs receiving benefit of \$25 or more:</b>	<b>18,087 (94% of disability HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs receiving benefit of \$25 or more:</b>	<b>11,340 (90% of elderly HHs)</b>
<b>Total HHs receiving benefit of \$50 or more</b>	<b>38,672 (90% of all HHs)</b>
<b>Disability HHs receiving benefit of \$50 or more:</b>	<b>17,741 (92% of disability HHs)</b>
<b>Elderly HHs receiving benefit of \$50 or more:</b>	<b>10,934 (86% of elderly HHs)</b>

\*This included 810 HHs with zero food benefit, such as HHs categorically eligible due to receipt of SSI or VT EITC benefits but with incomes too high to qualify them for a 3SVT food benefit amount. These zero-benefit HHs were included in calculating the average monthly benefit amounts. Enrollment in 3SVT may qualify them for other types of services, such as Lifeline phone subsidies.

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